

LARGE LAW CLASS AT WAKE FOREST

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ENRICHING THE LIBRARY

Gift of Eleven Hundred Books to Wake Forest, Some of Them Very Valuable and Desirable—President Potrat Goes to Montreal—Pastor Johnson to Spend Vacation at University of Chicago—Other Wake Forest College Notes.

(Special to News and Observer.) Wake Forest, N. C., June 18.—The Summer Law School has broken all its good records. There were thirty-three men in attendance at the close of the first week and more are expected to enter in the next few days. Professors Gulley and Timberlake are reaping the reward of their marked ability and experience as teachers. The gentlemen who are taking the course are many of them college graduates, other institutions being represented besides Wake Forest.

It was an interesting and pleasant coincidence that two gentlemen of the faculty were happily married on the 15th of June. They were Professor James L. Lake of the Chair of Physics, whose bride is Miss Virginia Caldwell, and Secretary E. B. Earnshaw, whose bride is Miss Edith Taylor, youngest daughter of Dr. Charles E. Taylor.

The Carnegie Foundation has just issued a bulky bulletin on the "Medical Schools of the United States and Canada." The report is in every sense based upon a visit of inspection by an expert of the Foundation. The friends of Wake Forest will read the following extract with pleasure describing the laboratory facilities of the medical department of the college: "The laboratories of this little school are, as far as they go, models in their way. Everything about them indicates intelligence and earnestness. The dissecting-room is clean and odorless, the bodies undergoing dissection being cared for in the most approved modern manner. Separate laboratories, properly equipped, are provided for ordinary undergraduate work in bacteriology, pathology, and histology, and the instructor has a private laboratory besides. Chemistry is taught in the well-equipped college laboratory; physiology is slight; there is no pharmacology. There is a small museum; animals, charts, and books are provided.

"Date of visit: February, 1909." The college library was greatly enriched by the receipt on June 1 from Mrs. Tempie Battle Alsop, of the library of her husband, the late Mr. S. S. Alsop, of Enfield, N. C. It consists of 1,100 volumes. Of these 130 are law books. Among them are "A Collection of all the Acts of Assembly of the Province of North Carolina." Two volumes bound in one. Newbern. Printed by James Davis, 1765, and "Laws of the State of North Carolina." By James Iredell Edenton. 1791; besides a number of first editions of Haywood's Reports and other early North Carolina Reports. The remainder of the library, containing nearly 1,000 volumes, is especially rich in Americana, travels, and early and rare editions of English authors. There is a valuable collection relating to North Carolina history which contains such books as an autograph copy of Caruthers' "Old North State in 1776," and Tarleton's "Campaigning in America," quoted by English booksellers at ten pounds (\$50.00). There is a set of the "Paston Letters," a copy of "Fielding's Works," "The Crusades," illustrations, "The Charleston Book" (1845), etc. It is evidently the collection of a man who loved books and who had a fine sense of discrimination in selecting them.

Another notable gift to the college library may be announced. It is made by the directors of the Biblical Recorder, and consists of twelve bound volumes of the Religious Herald, including the issues from 1866 to 1889, together with eight bound volumes of the Biblical Recorder supplementing the invaluable set of this journal already in possession of the library.

Pastor Walter N. Johnson left today for the University of Chicago, where he will spend the six weeks of his vacation in special study.

President Potrat goes today to Montreal where he has engagements to address the Southern Students' Conference on the evening of the 18th and to conduct a course on Comparative Religion.

CHAVASSE-LANDIS.

Wedding in Henderson of a Prominent and Popular Young Couple, Henderson, June 18.—There was

celebrated here on Tuesday morning at 11:30 one of the prettiest of June weddings, this taking place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Landis, when their daughter, Miss Nannie Frances Landis, became the bride of Mr. Sidney R. Chavasse.

Previous to the giving of the wedding vows Miss Gertrude Landis, of Oxford, sang a beautiful solo accompanied by Mrs. J. S. E. Young on the piano, and Mrs. Alex. Cooper rendered a violin solo, "Call Me Thine Own." Mrs. Alex. Cooper and Mr. Robert Green Singleton Davis accompanied the bridal chorus on the violin.

The house was beautifully and artistically decorated in palms, ferns and cut flowers, and in the parlor where the ceremony was performed was an improvised altar.

Misses Gertrude Landis and Olivia Lamb and Messrs. Thomas Chavasse, of England, and Richard Jones rendered the "Bridal Chorus" as the ushers took their places. These were Messrs. Spottswood Burwell, F. E. Schroder, F. C. Toepleman, J. R. Teague, D. Y. Cooper, Jr., and T. G. Horner. After these entered two little flower girls, Misses Dorothy and Anna Burwell, of Petersburg, Va., two bridesmaids, Misses Liv Taylor, of Townesville, N. C., and Magdalene Landis in white lingerie dresses, trimmed with baby Irish lace, and carried carnations. Little Miss Lucile Miller was the ring bearer. The bride was gown in white satin en train, with veil and carried white roses. Her twin sister, Carrie Burwell Landis, her maid of honor, wore white lingerie trimmed with baby Irish lace and carried pink roses. Mrs. Samuel Burwell, of Petersburg, Va., was dame of honor.

Mr. S. R. Chavasse was accompanied by his brother, Mr. H. E. Chavasse, as best man and met the bride at the altar where Rev. R. C. Craven, the bride's pastor, assisted by Rev. Thad Cheatham of Salisbury, gave the wedding vows.

The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Samuel Burwell, of Petersburg, Va.

The bride is one of Henderson's fairest and prettiest young women, is a descendant of Governor Spottswood, of Virginia, and has many friends in this city and elsewhere. Mr. Chavasse is a popular young man of Henderson and holds a position with the North Carolina Cotton Oil Company. They left on the northbound train for New York city and other points.

Many beautiful and handsome gifts were received.

Among the out of town guests to attend the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. James Horner, of Oxford; Misses Lucy Landis and Gertrude Landis, of Oxford; Miss Olivia Taylor, of Townesville; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burwell, of Petersburg, Va.; Mr. T. D. Peck, of Warrenton; Mrs. Norman Boyd and Miss Edith Burwell, of Warrenton; Mr. David Peck, of Warrenton; Miss Lucy Burwell, of Warrenton; Mrs. Will Landis, of Oxford; Mrs. John Paris, of Oxford; Mrs. Rawlins, of Oxford; Miss Anna Landis, of Oxford; Miss Irwin Stark, of Oxford; Mr. Tarwater, of Warrenton.

MOUNT AIRY NEWS NOTES.

Bad Outlook For Wheat Crop—Young Man Arrested for Robbery.

(Special to News and Observer.) Mount Airy June 16.—Just now the outlook for saving this year's wheat crop in this part of the State could not look more discouraging. Rain falls in great torrents almost continually and the roads are in a worse condition than at any time last winter. If fair weather should not prevail in a day or two the loss to farmers on account of failure to cut and save their wheat crop will be great. The crop is the finest for many years and it would be a serious matter to lose it now, after it has been made.

John Fleming, a young white man, was arrested yesterday for robbing the money drawer at Stewart Bros. meat market in this city. The owners of the place had been missing money from time to time ever since Christmas, and they were greatly puzzled as to what went with so much money. A shortage of over \$100 having been noticed during the past few months. On Tuesday they decided to watch at 12 o'clock and see if they could catch the thief. Sure enough, after one of the firm concealed himself with a friend in the store room, he heard some one coming up from the basement below. Fleming, who had been suspected, quietly made his way to the cash drawer, opened it and was helping himself to its contents when Stewart and Ashburn, the young man who hid with him, came out from their concealment and confronted him. He seemed very much excited when he saw the game was up and acted as if he meant to attack those who had caught him when Stewart fired his pistol as a signal that he had better halt. He was locked up by Officer Boyd and seemed very sorry he had committed the crime. He begged to be let off, confessed his guilt and said he had taken some \$20 or \$25. His trial will probably come up some time today.

Mr. R. J. Reynolds, Winston-Salem's millionaire tobacco manufacturer, was in the city yesterday, having spent Sunday in this city with his family who are visiting Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Smith.

Over 150 persons were converted at the Black revival meeting which has just closed in this city.

UNCLE JOE CANNON EXPLODES AGAIN

Speaker of House Lam-
bastes His Critics

TRICKS OF POLITICIANS

Reciting the Many Trials and Worries of the Legislative Autocrat, He Declared That Many Congressman Introduce Bills Which They at Heart Are Decidedly Averse to Seeing Passed—He Pays Champ Clark a Compliment Which Draws Enthusiastic Applause From the Democratic Side—Criticism "Without Judgment or Knowledge."

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., June 18.—The old rules of the House were defended and the critics of the Speaker were severely scored by Speaker Cannon in a brief address late in the session of the House today. Mr. Cannon contended that the operation of the rules as adopted by the 51st Congress and as enforced by him, had never interfered with the will of the majority of the House when an actual majority had been obtained on any proposition. He scored newspaper and magazine writers who had criticised him, and said they had proceeded from a lack of knowledge and upon false premises. The venerable Speaker was greeted by cheers from his Republican colleagues when he had concluded.

Representative Cooper, of Wisconsin, one of the leading "insurgents," attempted to reply, but there was objection.

Nearly every member of the House was in his place and every eye was centered upon Mr. Cannon as he began to speak.

Mr. Cannon declared that whoever should be speaker of the House, whether for two or eight years, could not escape criticism. He spoke of the 50,000 bills introduced in each congress, all with their advocates demanding consideration.

"Many members introduce bills that they do not want passed," said Mr. Cannon, explaining the troubles that face a Speaker.

He declared that under the rules as they had been adopted in the 51st Congress, it had at any time been possible for a majority in the House to legislate.

A Compliment to the Democratic Leader.

Referring directly to minority leader Champ Clark, the speaker suggested that the gentleman from Missouri, would make the best speaker the minority could obtain. This remark was a signal for an ovation by the Democrats in honor of their leader.

Continuing, Mr. Cannon said, that not half as many bills were passed under the new "unanimous consent" rule as formerly and he ridiculed the suggestions about his role as a "czar." Whatever the clamor might be he declared that he preferred to maintain his fidelity to the majority of the House. Referring to newspaper and magazine writers, he said he would rather keep his own self-respect than "to bend to demagogues and the self-constituted righteous ones who criticize without judgment and without knowledge."

BATTLESHIP FLORIDA NARROWLY ESCAPES ACCIDENT.

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, June 18.—The giant battleship Florida, on which finishing touches are being made in the Brooklyn navy yard, narrowly escaped serious damage during the heavy rain and wind storm in New York this afternoon. When the first violent gust struck the East River, an immense floating derrick with a lifting capacity of 125 tons, was approaching alongside to hoist armor plate on the giant's deck. The wind created a wave of dangerous proportions which would have sent the derrick crashing into the battleship's side, but a navy tug, near at hand, saw the danger and quickly towed the derrick out of harm's way. But the violence of the wind swayed the great 75-foot crane on the derrick and snapped it off at its base. With equilibrium gone, the derrick wobbled, then turned on its side and sank. The crane had previously plunged to the bottom.

Sixteen men, comprising the derrick's crew, were forced to leap into the water, but docks were near at hand, and sailors and marines from the receiving ship Hancock pulled all hands safely ashore.

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THE BAR ASSOCIATION

ARRANGEMENTS MAKING FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF THE 12TH ANNUAL N. C. LAWYERS ASSOCIATION AT WRIGHTSVILLE

(Special to News and Observer.)

Wilmington, N. C., June 18.—The committee named by the local bar association to make arrangements for the twelfth annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association is making preparations to entertain at least three hundred lawyers and a large attendance. The Bar Association will meet at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, June 23th to 29th.

Many of the visiting attorneys will be accompanied by their families. Hon. James Byrne, a distinguished lawyer of New York, will deliver the annual address and this will be the feature of the meeting. His address will be delivered Wednesday night, June 24th. Delegates will arrive in the city Tuesday night in the ball room of the Seashore, and will be called to order by the chairman of the executive committee, Ex-Judge E. W. Timberlake. Hon. Herbert McClammy, a prominent member of the local bar, will deliver the address of welcome, and Hon. Locke Craig, of Asheville, will respond. Col. John W. Hindsdale, president of the Bar Association, will deliver his address at this session.

At the morning session Wednesday, Col. E. A. McLean, of Lumberton, will deliver an address, and in the evening Hon. James Byrne.

Thursday the visitors will be entertained on the steamer Wilmington for a trip down the Cape Fear river. Luncheon will be served on the boat. Mr. W. H. Pace, of Raleigh, will deliver an address at the evening session.

With the exception of the committee on memorials, all committee reports will be received Tuesday evening. The report of the executive and standing committees will be presented by their respective chairmen as follows:

Executive Committee—E. W. Timberlake, Wake Forest.
Admission to Membership—Sol Calbert, Rutherfordton.
Legislation and Law Reform—W. D. Pruden, Edenton.
Judiciary—Clement Manly, Winston-Salem.
Legal Education and Admission to Bar—N. Y. Gulley, Wake Forest.
Grievances—H. A. London, Brunswick.
Memorials—N. A. McLean, Lumberton.
Legal Ethics—George Ragsdale, Wilmington.

Executive Committee—E. W. Timberlake, chairman; A. B. Andrews, Jr., secretary; A. M. Scales, W. D. Pruden, E. T. Cansler, T. S. Edgins, John W. Hindsdale and Thomas W. Davis.

Committee on Admission to Membership—First District, A. D. McLean; second district, E. D. Winston; third district, M. D. Stevenson; fourth district, H. A. Gilliam; fifth district, John D. Bellamy; sixth district, W. C. Monroe; seventh district, H. L. Cooke; eighth district, Stephen McIntyre; ninth district, Jones; tenth district, T. J. Jerome; eleventh district, J. E. Alexander; twelfth district, E. T. Cansler; thirteenth district, W. W. Barber, fourteenth district, S. D. Gallert, chairman; fifteenth district, Charles E. Moore; sixteenth district, M. W. Bell.

Killing Frost in Wilkes.

(Wilkesboro Chronicle.) A Mr. Green, who lives in the extreme mountainous part of Wilkes county, was in town last week and reported a lot of damage done to the section on the 1st of June. The potatoes were frost. He says the potatoes and garden stuff were killed and the prospects for something to eat. That section was about all that was left time ago.

Vote of Thanks.

Statesville Sentinel. Now that the special session of the Legislature is averted the American Tobacco Company, one time a candidate to a vote of thanks.

The American Tobacco Company with a million saved the State from "F" came in handy at last. We hadn't thought it worth it till now.